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Map Maker: Merian

Date: 1638
Place: Frankfurt
Color: Hand Colored
Condition:
Size: 27.5 x 9 inches

Price: SOLD



Description:

A 17th-Century Birdseye View of London

A striking panoramic view of London before the Great Fire of 1666, with a key noting 43 places within the City.

The view extends from the King's Palace at Whitehall to the Tower of London and St. Katherine's Church in the east. London Bridge still has buildings across it, and several traitors' heads are shown atop the southern gate of London Bridge. The Globe (Shakespeare's theatre) and the bull-baiting ring can be seen in Southwark.

Detailed Condition:

Small area of loss above left coat of arms, expertly repaired on verso. A number of other small areas of loss expertly repaired on verso.